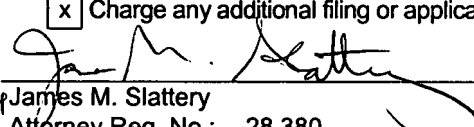




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**INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS**

In response to the Office Action April 19, 2007, the following amendments and remarks are respectively submitted in connection with the above-identified application:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 4 of this paper.